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In relation to applicants' duty of disclosure,
applicants are herewith advising the Patent Office of the
following patent documents:

- * U.S. Patent No. 2,489,503;
- U.S. Patent No. 3,150,575;
- U.S. Patent No. 3,220,320;
- U.S. Patent No. 3,636,827;
- U.S. Patent No. 3,942,418;
- U.S. Patent No. 5,468,207;
- U.S. Patent No. 5,873,806;

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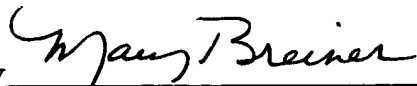
- * German Patent No. 823 608;
- * Japan Patent No. 59-9044;
- * German Patent No. 295 03 127 U1; and
- * Patent Abstracts of Japan Re JP 11-333219.

The above listed documents are set forth together with the applicants and issue or publication date thereof in the attached PTO Form 1449. Copies of foreign documents are attached. The above documents denoted by an asterisk were cited in the International Search Report attached to WO 2004/101265 A1 for International Application No. PCT/IT2004/000253, under which priority of the captioned application is claimed.

A copy of the International Search Report is attached.

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Attachments - International Search Report
- PTO Form 1449 w/4 Documents

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